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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C.

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In the Matter of the )  
Section 63.71 Application of )  
Legent Communications Corporation )  
d/b/a Long Distance America )  
d/b/a Long Distance Services )  
For Authority to Discontinue )  
Long Distance Services in the )  
Jurisdictions of Minnesota and )  
Mississippi )

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SECTION 63.71 APPLICATION

Legent Communications Corporation, d/b/a Long Distance America, d/b/a Long Distance Services (hereinafter "Legent") hereby files this Application requesting authority under Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended and pursuant to Section 63.71 of the Code of Federal Regulations to discontinue domestic and international long distance service to its customers located in the jurisdictions of Minnesota and Mississippi. Legent will continue providing domestic and international service to subscribers located throughout the United States. The FCC granted authority to Legent in File Number ITC-214-20011113-00568 on December 13, 2001. These services are carried over the underlying networks owned and operated by Global Crossing and Sprint.

I. Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(b)(1) through (5), Legent submits the following information:

A. Name and address of Carrier: Legent Communications Corporation  
21084 Bake Parkway, Suite 108  
Lake Forest, CA 92630

B. The anticipated date for the discontinuance of the service described herein is September 1, 2006, or as soon thereafter as the necessary governmental approval can be obtained.

C. *The proposed discontinuance will affect the provision of long distance services in the states of Minnesota and Mississippi.*

D. Type of service affected: Long Distance

E. Legent provided written notice to its affected customers by regular mail on July 21, 2006. A copy of the Notice is provided in **Exhibit A**.

F. Legent is considered a nondominant carrier with respect to the services it proposes to discontinue.

G. Questions or correspondence regarding this Application may be addressed to:

Patrick D. Crocker  
Early, Lennon, Crocker & Bartosiewicz, P.L.C.  
900 Comerica Building  
Kalamazoo, MI 49007  
Telephone: 269-381-8844  
Facsimile: 269-381-8822  
Email: [pcrocker@earlylennon.com](mailto:pcrocker@earlylennon.com)

II. In accordance with 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a), a copy of this Application has been mailed to the Governors and public utility commissions of each affected state as well as to the Special Assistant for Telecommunications for the Secretary of Defense.

III. With little or no intrastate traffic, Legent no longer intends to retain authority in the affected states.

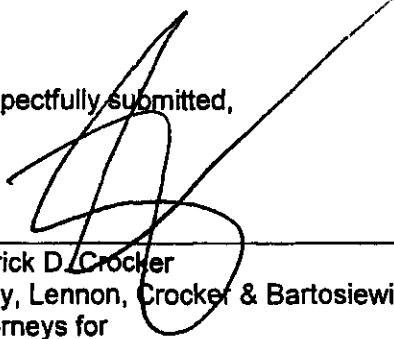
## CONCLUSION

Legent believes that the proposed discontinuance of services is reasonable and necessary. For the foregoing reasons, Legent respectfully requests that the Commission approves its Section 63.71 Application to discontinue the provision of the aforementioned services.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: July 24, 2006

By:



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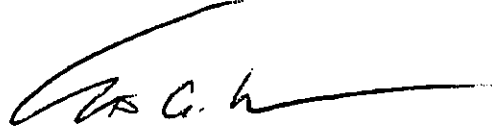
Patrick D. Crocker  
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Attorneys for  
Legent Communications Corporation

CERTIFICATION OF APPLICANT

On behalf of Legent Communications Corporation, I hereby certify that the statements in the foregoing Section 63.71 Application are true, complete, and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief and are made in good faith.

Legent Communications Corporation

By:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'S. White', is written over a horizontal line.

Scott White

Title: President

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have on this date, served a true copy of the foregoing Section 63.71 Application of Legent Communications Corporation, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a), on the following parties via U.S. Mail:

Special Assistant for Telecommunications  
Office of the Secretary  
US Department of Defense  
Pentagon  
Washington DC 20301

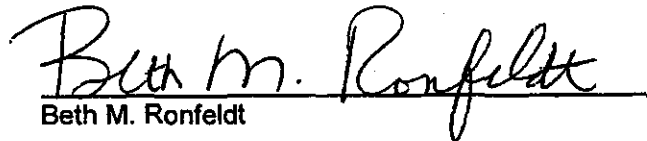
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St. Paul, MN 55155

Governor Haley Barbour  
P.O. Box 139  
Jackson, Mississippi 39205

Respectfully submitted this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 2006.

  
Beth M. Ronfeldt

**EXHIBIT A**

**Customer Notice**

**URGENT & IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING THE  
TERMINATION OF LONG DISTANCE SERVICE**

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July 21, 2006

William McKinney  
246 County Road 2201  
Booneville, MS 38829

Dear Customer:

Please be advised that Legent Communications Corporation, doing business as **Long Distance Services**, located at 21084 Bake Parkway, Suite 108, Lake Forest, CA 92630, will no longer provide long distance services to customers in Minnesota and Mississippi effective September 1, 2006. This letter serves as a 30-day notice of the discontinuation of long distance services currently provided by Long Distance Services.

Our records show that long distance service is currently or was recently provided to the following line(s):

(662) 728-9805

You will receive your final bill from Long Distance Services (billed on the long distance portion of your local telephone bill) on or about September 30, 2006 for the balance of the services used during the months of August and/or September.

We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. If you have questions regarding your current long distance bill or your final bill, please call Long Distance Services Customer Service Department (toll free) at 1-866-469-0829.

The FCC will normally authorize this proposed discontinuance of service (or reduction or impairment) unless it is shown that customers would be unable to receive service or a reasonable substitute from another carrier or that the public convenience and necessity is otherwise adversely affected. If you wish to object, you should file your comments within 15 days after receipt of this notification. Address them to the Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC 20554, referencing the Sec. 63.71 Application of Legent Communications Corporation. Comments should include specific information about the impact of this proposed discontinuance (or reduction or impairment) upon you or your company, including any inability to acquire reasonable substitute service.

Legent Communications Corporation  
d/b/a Long Distance Services

**URGENT & IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING THE  
TERMINATION OF LONG DISTANCE SERVICE**

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July 21, 2006

Raymond L Hickey  
908 N 57th Ave W  
Duluth, MN 55807

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Our records show that long distance service is currently or was recently provided to the following line(s):

(218) 624-5882

You will receive your final bill from Long Distance Services (billed on the long distance portion of your local telephone bill) on or about September 30, 2006 for the balance of the services used during the months of August and/or September.

We sincerely apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. If you have questions regarding your current long distance bill or your final bill, please call Long Distance Services Customer Service Department (toll free) at 1-866-469-0829.

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